## LOUISIANA RESIDENTIAL BUILDING PERMITS BY PARISH1 Cumulative - April 1999

	Buildings			Units			Construction Cost (000)		
Parish <sup>2</sup>	This Yr.	Last Yr.	% Ch	This Yr.	Last Yr.	% Ch	This Year	Last Year	% Ch
Planning District 1	1138	988	15.2	1217	1267	-3.9	\$137,962.0	\$114,327.2	20.7
Jefferson	305	238	28.2	310	505	-38.6	\$41,167.4	\$26,777.6	53.7
Orleans	132	80	65.0	143	81	76.5	\$14,377.5	\$8,177.5	75.8
St. Bernard	53	49	8.2	55	50	10.0	\$3,611.4	\$3,330.6	8.4
St. Tammany	648	621	4.3	709	631	12.4	\$78,805.7	\$76,041.5	3.6
Planning District 2	840	682	23.2	1073	806	33.1	\$78,284.9	\$62,059.9	26.1
East Baton Rouge	563	479	17.5	765	577	32.6	\$49,254.7	\$39,977.5	23.2
St. Helena	7	5	40.0	7	5	40.0	\$438.3	\$312.9	40.1
Tangipahoa	212	149	42.3	234	174	34.5	\$21,395.7	\$15,980.0	33.9
Washington	5	4	25.0	5	4	25.0	\$433.0	\$199.6	116.9
West Baton Rouge	21	24	-12.5	22	24	-8.3	\$2,063.8	\$2,747.3	-24.9
West Feliciana	32	21	52.4	40	22	81.8	\$4,699.4	\$2,842.6	65.3
Planning District 3	351	433	-18.9	352	439	-19.8	\$34,869.9	\$42,592.0	-18.1
Assumption	34	41	-17.1	34	41	-17.1	\$3,051.9	\$3,617.6	-15.6
Lafourche	104	136	-23.5	105	142	-26.1	\$13,700.2	\$14,556.3	-5.9
St Charles	73	92	-20.7	73	92	-20.7	\$6,217.1	\$10,718.5	-42.0
Terrebonne	140	164	-14.6	140	164	-14.6	\$11,900.7	\$13,699.6	-13.1
Planning District 4	427	427	0.0	427	438	-2.5	\$44,338.3	\$45,095.8	-1.7
Acadia	56	38	47.4	56	38	47.4	\$3,985.2	\$3,326.8	19.8
Iberia	45	51	-11.8	45	51	-11.8	\$4,966.9	\$5,130.0	-3.2
Lafayette	197	231	-14.7	197	242	-18.6	\$24,137.1	\$27,612.8	-12.6
St Landry	62	48	29.2	62	48	29.2	\$5,429.0	\$4,199.2	29.3
St. Martin	66	52	26.9	66	52	26.9	\$5,759.0	\$4,100.3	40.5
St Mary	1	7	-85.7	1	7	-85.7	\$61.1	\$726.7	-91.6
Planning District 5	398	322	23.6	916	444	106.3	\$60,797.9	\$34,549.9	76.0
Allen Calcasieu	2 321	1 265	100.0 21.1	2 839	1 387	100.0 116.8	\$87.5 \$51.986.4	\$57.5	52.2 79.4
Jefferson Davis	22	∠o5 10	120.0	22	387 10	120.0	\$51,986.4 \$1,990.6	\$28,983.5 \$839.4	137.1
Vermilion	53	46	15.2	53	46	15.2	\$6,733.4	\$4,669.5	44.2
	176	1 <b>70</b>	3.5	1 <b>76</b>	1 <b>73</b>	1.7			-3.5
Planning District 6 Avoyelles	47	33	<b>3.3</b> 42.4	47	33	42.4	<b>\$18,245.5</b> \$4,587.5	<b>\$18,903.7</b> \$2,962.1	<b>-3.5</b> 54.9
Concordia	0	0	na	0	0	na	\$0.0	\$0.0	na
Rapides	129	137	-5.8	129	140	-7.9	\$13,658.0	\$15.941.6	-14.3
Planning District 7	372	295	26.1	421	357	17.9	\$49.570.2	\$36,953.3	34.1
Bossier	154	110	40.0	154	110	40.0	\$18,472.8	\$12,724.6	45.2
Caddo	179	145	23.4	179	145	23.4	\$23,652.6	\$18,624.0	27.0
Lincoln	20	24	-16.7	69	86	-19.8	\$5,214.8	\$4,024.2	29.6
Natchitoches	19	16	18.8	19	16	18.8	\$2,230.0	\$1,580.5	41.1
Webster	0	0	na	0	0	na	\$0.0	\$0.0	na
Planning District 8	177	175	1.1	186	232	-19.8	\$19, <b>504.9</b>	\$20,157.2	-3.2
Franklin	0	0	na	0	0	na	\$0.0	\$0.0	na
Madison	2	2	0.0	3	6	-50.0	\$222.2	\$343.3	-35.3
Ouachita	175	171	2.3	183	222	-17.6	\$19,282.7	\$19,713.9	-2.2
Richland	0	2	-100.0	0	4	-100.0	\$0.0	\$100.0	-100.0
Statewide	3879	3492	11.1	4768	4156	14.7	\$443,573.6	\$374,639.0	18.4
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Estimates with Imputation. Cumulative figures shown are derrived mathematically from monthly data and may differ from source-published year-to-date figures which sometimes reflect revisions to monthly data. na: not applicable (division by zero).

Source: "Permit Authorized Construction in Permit-Issuing Places by State and County," Bureau of the Census, Manufacturing and Construction Division, Building Permits Branch.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Parishes not listed are: Ascension, Beauregard, Bienville, Caldwell, Cameron, Catahoula, Claiborne, DeSoto, East Carroll, East Feliciana, Evangeline, Grant, Iberville, Jackson, LaSalle, Livingston, Morehouse, Plaquemines, Pointe Coupee, Red River, Sabine, St. James, St. John, Tensas, Union, Vernon, West Carroll, and Winn (do not report monthly--but are included in annual report).